

LIVESTOCK STOCKPOND REGISTRATIONS
FILED IN MAY 2003

The following is a list of Livestock Stockpond Use Registrations filed with the SWRCB, Division of Water Rights during **May of 2003**. California Water Code section 1228.3 (c) & (d) allows **only protests based on injury to prior rights** to be filed against Stockpond Registrations. The procedure to file protest is described below.

STOCKPOND REGISTRATIONS

1. Registration No: L31422
 Date filed: May 2, 2003
 Owner: Jean Thomas
 P.O. Box 1967, Fort Bragg, CA 95437
 Source: Unnamed Spring tributary to Unnamed Stream thence
 Ackerman Creek thence Russian River
 Point of Diversion: within NE ¼ of SE ¼, Section 32, T16N, R13W, MDB&M
 County: Mendocino
 Amount: 2.1 acre-foot per annum by storage
 Season of Diversion: November 1 to April 30
 Place of Use: Within NE ¼ of SE ¼, Section 32, T16N, R13W, MDB&M
 Contact Person Yoko Mooring (916) 341-5362

2. Registration No: L31423
 Date filed: May 2, 2003
 Owner: Jean Thomas
 P.O. Box 1967, Fort Bragg, CA 95437
 Source: Unnamed Spring tributary to Unnamed Stream thence
 Ackerman Creek thence Russian River
 Point of Diversion: within SE ¼ of SW ¼, Section 32, T16N, R13W, MDB&M
 County: Mendocino
 Amount: 5 acre-foot per annum by storage
 Season of Diversion: November 1 to April 30
 Place of Use: Within SE ¼ of SW ¼, Section 32, T16N, R13W, MDB&M
 Contact Person Yoko Mooring (916) 341-5362

3. Registration No: L31424
 Date filed: May 2, 2003
 Owner: Jean Thomas
 P.O. Box 1967, Fort Bragg, CA 95437
 Source: Unnamed Spring tributary to Unnamed Stream thence
 Ackerman Creek thence Russian River
 Point of Diversion: within SE ¼ of NW ¼, Section 6, T15N, R13W, MDB&M
 County: Mendocino
 Amount: 7 acre-foot per annum by storage
 Season of Diversion: November 1 to April 30

Place of Use: Within SE ¼ of NW ¼, Section 32, T16N, R13W, MDB&M
Contact Person Yoko Mooring (916) 341-5362

PROCEDURES FOR SUBMITTING PROTESTS

Any person may file protest against a stockpond registration based on injury to prior rights. Protests should be submitted on standard protest forms available from the SWRCB or on the Division's web site www.waterrights.ca.gov, but can be submitted in letterform. The protest must clearly set forth the protestant's opposition to the stockpond registration based on interference with prior water rights. The protest must describe the specific injury to the existing water right that would result from approval of the registration. In addition, the party claiming injury to prior rights must provide specific information that describes the bases of the existing right, the date the use began, the quantity of water used the, purpose of use and the place of use. Please note that any registration approved by the SWRCB is subject to and includes conditions to protect vested water rights. The protest should be submitted to:

State Water Resources Control Board
Division of Water Rights
P.O. Box 2000
Sacramento, CA 95812-2000

In addition, the protestant must send a copy of the protest to the registrant. Protests filed in response to this notice must either be postmarked, or received in the office of the SWRCB's Division of Water Rights (1001 "I" Street, 14th Floor, Sacramento, CA) **by 3:00 p.m.** on the **30th day** after the date of the notice. Due to the constraints of the noticing period, protests may be filed by FAX at (916) 341-5400. However, an original copy of all materials must be received for the SWRCB to consider your protest. For good cause, the SWRCB may grant an extension of time to file the protest. It is the protestant's responsibility to contact Yoko Mooring at (916) 341-5362 and receive an extension of time to submit the protest prior to the final filing date and time.

RESOLUTION OF PROTESTS

The protestant(s) and the registrant are encouraged to discuss methods that could be used to resolve the protest. If the protest(s) cannot be resolved, the SWRCB may conduct a field investigation.

CONTACT PERSON

To obtain additional information regarding the above registrations, or obtain copies of the protest forms, please contact the staff person designated above.

DATE OF NOTICE: June 6, 2003